

MTH 4230 Lab 4 **Answer Sheet**

Due Mon., Feb. 26

1 **Part A: Multiple Regression**

1.1 **Patient Satisfaction Data Set**

1. NA
2. Print the scatterplot matrix.
3. With which **predictor** is a patient's **satisfaction** most highly correlated?

Give the name of the predictor:

Give the value of the *correlation*:

Which **two predictors** are most highly correlated with each other?

Give the names of the two predictors:

Give the value of the *correlation*:

4.

- a) Write the equation of the *fitted regression model* $\hat{Y} = b_0 + b_1X_1 + b_2X_2 + b_3X_3$ below:

Give an **interpretation** of the value of b_1 .

Give an **interpretation** of the value of b_2 .

Give an **interpretation** of the value of b_3 .

- b) Give the value of the *coefficient of determination* R^2 (labeled Multiple R-squared in the output from `summary()`).

Coefficient of determination $R^2 =$ _____

Based on the value of R^2 , what percentage of the variation in **satisfaction** is explained by the model with **age**, **severity**, and **anxiety**? _____

- c) Look at the results of the *model F test*, which is a test of

$$H_0 : \beta_1 = \beta_2 = \beta_3 = 0$$

$$H_a : \text{Not all } \beta_k \text{'s equal } 0$$

Give the following values:

The observed value of the **F statistic** is: $F =$ _____

The p-value for the test is: **p-value** = _____

State the conclusion (Reject H_0 /Fail to reject H_0). _____

Based on the result of the F test, is there a statistically significant relationship between Y and (at least one of) these predictors?

- d) Give the numerical value of the estimate of the variance σ^2 of the error term ϵ in the multiple regression model. _____

Give the estimate of the standard deviation σ . _____

- e) Give the following values:

The estimated standard error of b_1 is: $s\{\mathbf{b}_1\} =$ _____

The estimated standard error of b_2 is: $s\{\mathbf{b}_2\} =$ _____

The estimated standard error of b_3 is: $s\{\mathbf{b}_3\} =$ _____

- f) Now look at the results of the *t tests* for individual β_k 's.

Consider first the test of

$$H_0 : \beta_1 = 0$$

$$H_a : \beta_1 \neq 0$$

The observed value of the test statistic for the t test is $t =$ _____

The p-value = _____

Is the observed b_1 statistically significantly different from 0 (Yes/No)? _____

Now consider the test of

$$H_0 : \beta_2 = 0$$

$$H_a : \beta_2 \neq 0$$

The observed value of the test statistic for the t test is $t =$ _____

The p-value = _____

Is the observed b_2 statistically significantly different from 0 (Yes/No)? _____

Finally consider the test of

$$H_0 : \beta_3 = 0$$

$$H_a : \beta_3 \neq 0$$

The observed value of the test statistic for the t test is $t =$ _____

The p-value = _____

Is the observed b_3 statistically significantly different from 0 (Yes/No)? _____

5. **Don't** print the plots. Based on the plots, does the assumption of normality of the error term ϵ appear to be reasonable? (Yes/No)? _____

6. **Don't** print the plot. Based on the plot, does the assumption that the errors ϵ_i have a constant standard deviation appear to be reasonable? (Yes/No)? _____

2 Part B: Linearly Dependent Design Matrix

2.1 Another Hypothetical Snakes Data

1. What property of the (hypothetical) `snakes` data set prevented R from being able to estimate all the parameters in the multiple regression model?